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**REQUEST  
FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
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Application Number	09/213,131
Filing Date	12/15/1998
First Named Inventor	Anderson
Art Unit	2615
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Attorney Docket Number	P126C/736C

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

**1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114**

a.  Previously submitted

i.  Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on September 29, 2004.  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).

ii.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_

iii.  Other \_\_\_\_\_

b.  Enclosed

i.  Amendment/Reply

iii.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

ii.  Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

iv.  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Miscellaneous**

a.  Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)

b.  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**3. Fees** The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

a.  The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_

i.  RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) \$790.00

ii.  Three (3) month extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17) \$1,020.00

iii.  Other \_\_\_\_\_

b.  Check in the amount of \$ 1,810.00 enclosed

c.  Charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 02-2120 (Sawyer Law Group LLP)

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